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technical department before he is in a position to suggest any change in the system. I am to add that an additional advantage arising from this special duty will be the fact that there will in the future be on the upper staff of the High Court an officer who has a specialized knowledge of the working of this most important department. The cost of Mr. Appa Rao's deputation may be met from the existing budget provision under 24 (a) I—High Court Judges and Registrar—Pay of Officers—Voted.

APPENDIX V.

[Vide answer to question No. 776 asked by Mr. G. Harisarvottama Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 21st October 1927, page 324 supra.]

Question.	Answer.
(b) How many criminal cases have so far been tried by him—	
(i) in his original jurisdiction	Calendar cases 84
	Miscellaneous 25
(ii) in his jurisdiction as an appellate court.	71
(c) (i) In how many cases he has given a conviction or upheld a conviction?	Calendar cases—
	(1) Convicted 57
	(2) Discharged, acquitted, etc. 27
	Criminal appeals—
	(1) Confirmed 52
	(2) Reversed 19
(ii) In how many cases he has given the highest sentence allowed to him by law according to the nature of the case and in how many cases he has upheld sentence of a maximum nature?	Calendar cases 4
	Criminal appeals 4

APPENDIX V-A.

[Vide answer to question No. 777 asked by Mr. G. Harisarvottama Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 21st October 1927, page 324 supra.]

Letter from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works and Labour Department, dated the 13th October 1927, No. 2045/27-C.E.P.

[Legislative Council question No. 336—Supply Channel to Markapur tank—Kurnool district.]

I have the honour to report as follows on the several clauses of the question:—

Clauses (a) and (c)—The Executive Engineer reports that the supply channel to the Markapur tank was silted up and that it was cleared during March to July 1927, under an estimate of Rs. 6,000.